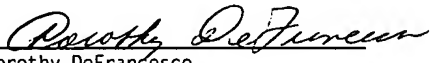


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However, to expedite processing, enclosed herewith is an
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and Hideki MIYAKE. Please enter the enclosed Declarations in the file of the above-identified application.

Enclosed is a Form PTO-2038 in the amount of \$130 as the surcharge for filing the Declarations on a date later than the deposit date of the application.

Also enclosed is an executed Assignment and Form PTO-1595 and a check for \$40 to cover the Assignment recordation fee.

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TITLE OF INVENTION THERAPEUTIC AGENT FOR PRURITUS COMPRISING PIPERIDINE DERIVATIVE AS ACTIVE INGREDIENT		PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED 17 JULY 2003
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Daisuke ISHII; Tomoko ODA; Hideki MIYAKE; Manabu FUJITA		
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:		
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